



David A. Wise

August 21, 1952 - July 4, 2017

David Arthur Wise came into this world on August 21, 1952. He peacefully released our hands and returned to the Lord's loving embrace on July 4, 2017. He went to Texas Christian University on an R.O.T.C. scholarship and then enrolled into the U.S. Army upon graduating with his Bachelor and Master's Degrees. For over a decade he served in the U.S. Army 82nd Airborne Division as a Captain, specializing in Parachute Assault. Later he received his Juris Doctorate from St. Mary's Law School. David served the San Antonio southside community specializing in Probate and Family Law for over 25 years. He was a dutiful husband, a giving grandpa, and beloved father. His legacy continues in his two daughters Velora, and Taffy, and his grandson John David.

David is survived by his spouse Eleanor along with his stepfamily Daniel, Colin, and Kelsey and their children David, Robin, and Hannah. He is also survived by his mother Claire and his younger siblings; Thomas, Elizabeth, and Sue. David is preceded in death by his father and brother both named Richard P. Wise.

Visitation will take place Wednesday July 12, 2017 from 6:00-7:00 p.m., promptly followed by his funeral service at 7:00 p.m. at Mission Park Funeral Chapels North 3401 Cherry Ridge St. 78230.

Cemetery Details

Ft. Sam Houston National Cemetery

1520 Harry Wurzbach
San Antonio, TX 78209

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 12. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Mission Park Funeral Chapels Cherry Ridge
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<https://www.missionparks.com/>

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

PA

“ *When a father rapes his daughter and gets her pregnant, you dont mourn his loss. The person took his life, not because he was repentent of his evil deed, but because of fear of the law. No salvation for this scum ever.*

Paul - November 16, 2025 at 12:41 PM

PA

Sorry this was meant for another person by the name of David Wise in Emmetsburg IA. I tried taking this down, but cant. Deeply apologize

Paul - November 16, 2025 at 12:43 PM

FF

“ *From the Cain Family purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of David A. Wise.*



From the Cain Family - July 12, 2017 at 03:04 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of David A. Wise.*



July 12, 2017 at 01:19 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of David A. Wise.*



July 11, 2017 at 11:13 PM



“ *tom & donna & family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of David A. Wise.*



tom & donna & family - July 11, 2017 at 10:30 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of David A. Wise.*



July 11, 2017 at 03:47 PM



“ *Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray was purchased for the family of David A. Wise.*



July 11, 2017 at 03:40 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of David A. Wise.*



July 11, 2017 at 03:19 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of David A. Wise.*



July 11, 2017 at 10:35 AM



“ *David was a loving, giving person in his professional life as well as to his family. One time he mediated with a few very self-concerned people well into the night, missing a doctor's appointment we all knew he needed. What a man. He was wise, prudent, and very intuitive about people's feelings and needs. We have him as an example of the best of the legal profession.*

Cheryl McMullan

Cheryl McMullan - July 10, 2017 at 10:38 PM



I am so thankful he was my first boss and mentor in the legal field. When we'd talk about ethical issues or integrity issues, he always told me you've got to be able to look at yourself in the mirror.

Becky Jaroszewski - July 11, 2017 at 08:50 AM

CK

My heartfelt condolences to Elly and members of David and Elly's families who are grieving at this time. I will pray for David and for all of you.

Candy Kuebker

Candy Kuebker - July 11, 2017 at 05:01 PM

PS

We will miss one of our own. I will pray for you, Elly, and for your families.

Patty Sitchler - July 12, 2017 at 03:25 PM

SB

*David was a wonderful person
I will pray for Elly and family
He will be missed
Sue Bean*

Sue Bean - July 12, 2017 at 06:08 PM

MB

My brother Art and I are sorry for your loss. I remember David and the family from when we were kids. I particularly recall going to New York to see a couple of Yankees games with Uncle Dick and David. Our deepest sympathies.

Michael and Arthur Boulanger

Mike Boulanger - July 14, 2017 at 10:59 AM